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POLIS

good? A scream!

"Such a pair of nuts. Squirrels Theda Bara Will Be dope in the team of Gastona & Nel-Something new is the correct criticism. If I was as foolish as that ould go to the happy house, But really and truly he makes you of the famous romance by Theda laugh, and then when you come to the lambus remained the New think of it he is almost as natural as some folks we know. Still I wouldn't York theatrical would at the Academy want to be so crazy even if I did of Music last week, is to be seen at

EMPIRE

Have you seen Geraldine Farrar in "Carmen" at the Empire?

That is the question friends greet one another with in the city. If you lus. haven't seen this five part Jesse L. Lasy masterplece of masterpleces with a star of stars, let us give you a tip. you'd better get in line and see it today as this is the last time you will be able to see it in this city for "Carmen" has been done by many

on the legitimate as well as operatic stage but never has an actress made the character of "Carmen" stand out so vividly as Miss Farrar has in this Hundreds of thousands flocked to

see this masterpiece at an admission of 25 cents to \$1.50 when this feature was shown in Boston a week ago and the newspapers acclaimed this Silent Drama feature as one of the greatest masterpleces ever attempted for the screen.

So, remember our tip, get in line and see this feature which will be hown for the last time at Keeney's Empire theatre today.

Other excellent subjects will also be hown and the wonderful organ in er's. this theatre adds greatly to the picdue to the special music play-

WEST END THEATRE

lestar casts have been frequently advertised for various productions, but probably never before has there been seen a photodrama so really deserving of this title as "Should a Mother Tell?" the latest V llam Fox success. Headed by Betty Nansen, the Sothern, Arthur Hoops and Claire Whitney, all stars in their own right.
This fine production will be shown

ing! at the West End theatre, on State street, near Clinton avenue, tonight, Another big feature scheduled on the same program is "The Pretender," a Brondway favorite feature in four 35 cents' worth of lat parts, featuring dainty Marguerite a profit for 15 cents. parts, featuring dainty Marguerite Courrot and Mr. Crawford Kent of the legitimate stage. As a special added attraction Manager N. C. Lund has head and not attempt to march on secured an augmented orchestra of 15 Washington and over urn the United instruments to accompany this splen- States government. did double feature program. Clarence F'in, the musical director, has assured the management that a rare freat is in store for lovers of good music. There

will be no advance in prices. Tomorow the management presents for the first time in Bridgeport "Children of Eve," an L'dison five-part drama featuring Viola Dana.

PLAZA

"Well! I said that we had better go to Poll's didn't I. Laura?" Behonest now, didn't I want to go there first. What if you do have to stand up if you get there late. All the crowds go and they sure hand you laughs for the rest of the week.

"Now look back and see that Hicksville Ministrels of the country cabaret, Did you ever see anything so funny even when you went to Bantam Lake on your summer vacation? Aunt. Maria making doughnuts was never so funny as that woman who drank all the loc-water because hard cider had been mixed in it and that country orchestra handed me a laugh it, the Stratfield.

"and furthermore Laura, I just adore Francis K. Bushman. Did you ever think a man could be so perfect as a society man and a woodman. The way he handled Jim Jefferies shows that he must have great strength, and his fight, with the Kanucks was so thrilling I had to hold my hinds over my eyes as he threw those hig husky men over his head. And Beverly Bayne is just a dear.

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Did I think their act was Waiting Long" compose the "movies."

Seen Here in Carmen

"Carmen." the wonderful portraval make people how with delight. Isn't Poli's Bridgeport theatre on Thursday, it junny Laura what some folks will gindle over. Let's go to Poli's the last half. Maybe we'll have just as sood an evening."

Poli's Bridgeport theatre on Thursday, Priday and Saturday of this week. Probably no picture produced in any studio during the past six months has had the remarkable audiences that have greeted "Carmen." Especially is the great cigarette factory fight where Theda Bara as "Carmen" wreaks her vengeance upon the factory girl.

There the actress gives entraordi-nary vent to her unapproachable genius. The episodes afford unusual op-portunity for the display of Miss

WISE AND OTHERWISE

It takes about a half column for the newspapers to describe Mrs. with a strong arm and a keen ax. The Galt's costume adequately, while a Malay smears his creese or arrow, star actresses both in the pictures and stickful of type will do for most po- says the doctor, with the inspissated litical speeches.

A man may have the very latest style derby hat, but he can't always distinguish it from last year's when they are hanging side by side in the

After studying some of the election returns of last week, it looks as if the people rose in their might resolutely determined to avert the peril of having good government,

This is about 'he time when clubs of sportsmen celebrate the joys of the shooting season with a supper of game purchased at the usual deal-

Those pronged horns coming down the street may not be an elk or moose escaped from the wilds, but some girl

with stylish projecting feathers on her fall hat. The dear public never buys stocks with such confidence and enthusiasm

as when prices are very close to the

top. If it wasn't for the custom of giving leave to print in the Congressionincomparable queen of emotional acting leave to print in the Congressioning, the cast includes Stuart Holmes, al Record, just think of all the time it would take to hear those speeches on the elections that 96 senators and 435 representatives are now rehears-

> Ho, for the church suppers, at which our clever feminine nanciers take 25 cents' worth of material, add 35 cents' worth of labor and sell it at

Pancho Villa should put ice on his

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Upas lies Not Deadly Among the long established beliefs which have in recent years been sadly disturbed is that of the deadly character of the upas tree. The exhalations of this tree were held to be so deadly the tensity of the picture displayed in that no animal life could survive within 150 feet of it. Dr. J. D. Gimlette, an Englishman, who has lived among the Malays for eighteen years, cites a story that when the poison from this tree is wanted by a Malay witch doctor twenty condemned criminals are sent for it. Usually only one or two return alive, and these are pardoned. He says that as a matter of fact the "deadly upas" is largely a fake; that the tree may be chopped down in safety by any one juice of the tree, and if the wound is deep enough the poison produces a toxic effect on the heart similar to that produced by digitalis or by strophanthus, a climbing vine of West Africa, which yields an arrow poison which

> Malay Weapons. The national Malay weapon, the creese, is said to have been invented by a Javanese monarch of the fourteenth century. Its varieties are said to exceed a hundred, and there are in Javanese no fewer than fifty names for them. It varies in size from the two foot wavy blade of Sulu down to a mere toothpick. But the peculiarity is that the weapon is never ground, but kept rough and sawlike in edge by scouring with lime juice or the juice of an unripe pineapple, sometimes mixed with arsenic, and it is on this account that creese wounds are so dan gerous. Old specimens are so eaten away by this practice that the blade seems formed from a bunch of wires roughly welded up. Such creeses are highly valued, and some of the ancient ones, heirlooms of chiefs, with gro tesquely carved and inlaid hilts and sheaths, are almost unpurchasable.

The deep green protective color of katydids makes it difficult to locate Pert-Maybe you wouldn't then.-Bosthem on the foliage. We hear the ton Transcript. earth full of rasping poises of katydids at night, but when the sun comes up and chases the last bit of darkness off the face of the earth the noise of the katydids ceases. When wesgo out to observe some of the noisy creatures we become disgusted with the futile attempt. The trouble is we are likely to have a dozen katydids under our eyes and not distinguish their forms

from the deep green leaves. Katydids belong to the grasshopper family. They sometimes make a noise in daytime. but this is rather weak and a very different one compared to the noise made at night. It makes the noise, "katy did," by rubbing the overlapping wing covers against each other. This noise can be made even with the wings of a dead katydid.-Our Dumb Animals.

Venice and Tourists. The great industry of Venice is tha of meeting the demands of tourists The movements of the foreigner, a they re skillfully guided and directed by a bost of competent experts, are no difficult to ferecast. It is known that if the foreigner arrives at the railron station he will take a gondola to hihotel. He may travel in the ferrybon or on foot all the rest of the time, to save money, but when he arrives he will take a gondola, so that he may casually mention in writing home tha he stepped directly from the train into acts directly on the muscles of the a luxurious gondola. Knowing this peculiarity, the municipality of Venice keeps tab on the gondola traffic fron the railroad station as a sort of gauge of prosperity.-Argonaut.

A Swift Uppercut. "I see you have your arm in a sling." said the inquisitive passenger. "Bro ken, isn't it?" "Yes, sir," responded the other pas senger. "Meet with an accident?" "No; broke it while trying to pat my

self on the back." "Great Scott! What for?" "For minding my own business."-Ram's Horn.

"There is only one thing which will effectually break up a deadlock." "What is that?" "A key to the situation."-Baltimore American.

The Obvious Remedy.

Caustic. Miss Plainleigh-I would never get married if I had to ask the man. Miss

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Them

Laurie

and

Bronson

That Dainty

Pair

Reports received at Douglas, Ariz., state that the Villa forces at Nogales, Sonora, are on the verge of mutiny, and going over to Carranza.

Fifteen persons injured and two dead is the record of automobile, rail-road and motorcycle accidents in the vicinity of Binghampton, N. Y., on

As a result of the government's price regulation order, plgs which sold in Berlin last week at from \$30 to \$37. were placed on sale at from \$20 to \$27.50.

Striking employes of the International Silver Co., and strikers of the Manning-Fowman company, marched through the factory district of Meriden, Conn., 3,000 strong.

Police visited an alleged Chinese gambling den in Pell street, New York. The place was found deserted but a large amount of gambling parapheralia was confiscated.

After an hour's talk with President Wilson, Representative Kitchin, the House floor lealer, announced that he House floor leader, announced that he naval program.

Postal authorities started an investigation of the disappearance of packages containing \$40,000 in checks, mailed from Clinton, Mass., and adiressed to a Boston bank.

After striking a breakwater and springing a leak while entering the Dutch harbor of Muiden, the Dutch steamer Monnikendam, Newport News for Amsterdam, was beached.

Thanks to the United States govern-ment for its courtesy in sending the crulser Saratoga to Tokio for coronation celebration was expressed by the "Asahi Shinbun" of Osaka. Captain Ball of the British steamer

Rio Lages, which put in at Halifax, N. S., with his ship still afire, declared the fire was caused by an incendiary

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